

**MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION  
MEETING MINUTES**

July 6, 2009

C/Bell opened the meeting at 8:10 p.m.

**I HEREBY ANNOUNCE THAT PURSUANT TO THE OPEN PUBLIC MEETING ACT, ADEQUATE NOTICE OF THIS MEETING HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN THE ANNUAL NOTICE OF MEETINGS WHICH WAS MAILED TO THE ASBURY PARK PRESS AND THE MESSENGER PRESS, POSTED ON THE PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENTS BULLETIN BOARD IN TOWN HALL AND FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE TOWNSHIP CLERK ON DECEMBER 16, 2008.**

**ROLL CALL:** Jim Bell; present, Bill Hanson; present, Al Morrone; not present, Mike Turner; entered at 8:20, Gary Dorfman; present, Dominick Ricci; not present, Robert Brown; not present, Tracey Klehr; not present, Terrence Murphy; present

Township Committeeman Bob Kinsey was not present

***PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR:***

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***AGENDA ITEMS:***

- **Lacrosse**

C/Murphy discussed the final tournament which was played in Manalapan. The team was not in Millstone Twp uniforms, but in uniforms purchased by the booster club with the name of Monmouth Renegades. It was a pay to play tournament where each player paid \$20.00 to participate. C/Bell stated Francine King, the treasurer, discussed with him, her frustration of the booster club not being reimbursed in a reasonable time frame. C/Bell advised her all purchases should go through the Rec Dept and paid directly to the vendor. This would not include referee fees, as they are required to be paid on the day of the match. It was discussed the program may want to consider a travel team.

- **Speed and Agility**

Nothing to report – program concluded

- **Tennis**

No report

- **Wagner Farm Park / Abate Park / Brandywine / Rocky Brook Park**

Discussion took place in regards to the conditions of the basketball courts located at Rocky Brook Park. The Basketball backboards and posts are old and should be replaced with updated equipment similar to the backboards at Abate Park. The current courts can cause potential injuries as the poles are directly under the backboard. The courts need to be resurfaced as they are fading. Large roots are growing under the asphalt sidewalk, causing the walkway to be lifted up.

It was requested of the Rec Secretary to discuss the commissioner's concerns with Jim Pickering, Twp Administrator.

- **Fall Soccer**

A letter was received from a coach requesting to open registration to older children of 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> grade. It was discussed enrollment was low last year for the older division and not enough registrants for an older division.

- **Summer Rec**

Program started a week ago with registration of 306 enrolled to date. No issues or problems to report at this time.

- **Millstone Day 2009**

C/Hanson discussed different ways to handle the inflatable amusements. It was brought up, whether to charge per child or by ride. Further discussion to take place at August's meeting. A request was received from Pat Butch of The Open Space & Farmland Preservation Council to utilize one of the inflatable amusements that the Rec Commission is renting from Frogbridge. Request was approved; C/Hanson will discuss further details with Pat Butch.

- **Field Hockey**

Rec Secretary discussed a four day clinic to be held at the end of July with Coach Lisa Bellotti. As like last year, cost would be \$25.00 or free to enrollees of the fall program.

- **Men's Basketball**

A discussion took place with regards to increasing the fee for Men's Basketball. It was discussed on an increase from \$40.00 to \$80.00.

**ROLL CALL: Jim Bell; aye, Bill Hanson; aye, Al Morrone; absent, Mike Turner; aye, Gary Dorfman; aye, Dominick Ricci; absent, Robert Brown; absent, Tracey Klehr; absent, Terrence Murphy; aye**

- **Approval of the June 1, 2009 Minutes**

**Motion to approve:** C/Hanson **Seconded:** C/Bell

**ROLL CALL: Jim Bell; aye, Bill Hanson; aye, Al Morrone; absent, Mike Turner; abstain, Gary Dorfman; abstain, Dominick Ricci; absent, Robert Brown; absent, Tracey Klehr; absent, Terrence Murphy; aye.**

Motion to adjourn, **Moved** C/Bell, **Seconded** C/Murphy.

Meeting adjourned at 8:38 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicole C. Vladimirov

cc: Township Committee, Jim Pickering, Maria Dellasala